

**H.R. 2224, Homeless Veterans with Children Reintegration Act**

As ordered reported by the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs on March 12, 2020

By Fiscal Year, Millions of Dollars	2020	2020-2025	2020-2030
Direct Spending (Outlays)	0	0	0
Revenues	0	0	0
Increase or Decrease (-) in the Deficit	0	0	0
Spending Subject to Appropriation (Outlays)	0	0	0
Statutory pay-as-you-go procedures apply?	No	<b>Mandate Effects</b>	
Increases on-budget deficits in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2031?	No	Contains intergovernmental mandate?	No
		Contains private-sector mandate?	No

Under the homeless veterans' reintegration program, the Department of Labor (DOL) disburses grants to entities that provide job placement, training, and vocational counseling to homeless veterans. The Congress has authorized \$50 million for that program for each year during the 2002-2020 period. In 2019, DOL awarded \$48 million in grants to 149 community organizations.

H.R. 2224 would require DOL to give veterans with dependent children priority for receiving benefits under the program. CBO expects that requirement would change which veterans receive benefits but not how much grant funding is provided; thus, implementing the bill would not affect the cost of the program.

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